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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

Director, Office of Legislative Liaison

SUBJECT:

Weekly Report

1. On Thursday, 26 April, at 2:00 p.m. you are scheduled to brief the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence on Covert Action in

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2. The Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice and Agriculture of the House Government Operations Committee has postponed its scheduled hearing and markup of our FOIA relief Bill from 26 April to mid-May. The reason for the postponement, according to Committee staff, is that it would not look good for the Committee to act too quickly upon FOIA relief for the CIA while the topic of CIA's role in Central America remains a hot topic on Capitol Hill. The postponement means that the FOIA Bill cannot be reported out of Government Operations before early June at the earliest. House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff has said that HPSCI will keep the pressure on the Government Operations Committee to see to it that Government Operations Committee does not sit on the Bill. We have an appointment with Representative Mazzoli to discuss this issue next week.

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